



File Code: 2430

Date: May 5, 2015

Dear Prospectus Bidder,

On **06/02/2015, at 10:00 AM**, sealed bids will be opened in the Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest, Black Mesa RD 2748 SR Hwy 260, Overgaard AZ 85933 for the Bear Timber Sale. The Bear Timber Sale is located within T11N, R13E, Section 6 and T12 N, R13E Sections 19, 20, 29, 30, 31, 32. The contract used is a FS2400-13T Stewardship Intergraded Resource Contract with mandatory and optional bid items. The termination date for this sale is 6/14/2019.

The estimated quantities in this contract have been determined prior to felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 17,268 CCF. The Forest Service encourages potential bidders to make their own inspection and estimate prior to bid submission. The Forest Service makes no representation, warranty, or guarantee of the accuracy of the following quantity estimates:

Mandatory Estimated Quantities and Rates per Unit of Measure

				Rates Per Unit of Measure			
Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Base Rate	Advertised Rate	Additional Deposits for Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Mandatory Timber Cutting Units :							
Ponderosa Pine	Sawtimber	CCF	2,756.00	0	\$5.00	\$0.00	\$6.01
Mixed Conifer	Sawtimber	CCF	9,819.00	0	\$10.21	\$0.00	\$6.01
Minimum Acceptable Total Bid for Mandatory Timber Cutting Units :				\$114,031.99			
Only the Fixed Rate Applies :							
Ponderosa Pine 9-11.9 DBH	Sawtimber	CCF	1,449.00	N/A	\$8.99	\$0.00	\$6.01
Ponderosa Pine	Pulpwood	CCF	1,041.00	N/A	\$1.00	\$0.00	\$6.01
Mixed Conifer	Pulpwood	CCF	2,203.00	N/A	\$1.00	\$0.00	\$6.01
	TOTAL	CCF	17,268.00			\$0.00	\$103,780.68

There is a \$14,000.00 performance bond required on this sale.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write, call, or email the Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest, Black Mesa RD, 2748 SR Hwy 260, Overgaard AZ 85933 (928) 535-7300.

Sincerely,

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